Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute Offered by Ms. Bonamici of Oregon

Page 497, after line 25, insert the following:

1 "(h) NOTIFICATION REGARDING SNAP.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—An institution receiving a 2 3 grant under this part shall send a notification (by 4 email or other electronic means) to each eligible stu-5 dent informing the student of their potential eligi-6 bility for participation in the SNAP and the process 7 for obtaining more information, confirming eligibility, and accessing benefits under that program. 8 9 The notification shall be developed by the Secretary 10 of Education in consultation with the Secretary of 11 Agriculture, and shall include details on eligibility 12 requirements for participation in the SNAP that a 13 student must satisfy. The notification shall be, to 14 the extent practicable, specific to the student's State 15 of residence and shall provide contact information 16 for the local office where an application for the 17 SNAP may be made.

18 "(2) EVIDENCE OF PARTICIPATION IN FEDER19 ALLY FINANCED WORK-STUDY PROGRAM.—The noti-

fication under paragraph (1) shall include an official
document confirming that the recipient is an eligible
student sufficient for purposes of demonstrating that
the exclusion from ineligibility for participation in
the SNAP under section 6(e)(4) of the Food and
Nutrition Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2015(e)(4)) applies
to the student.

8 "(3) GUIDANCE.—The Secretary of Education, 9 in consultation with the Secretary of Agriculture, 10 shall provide guidance to States and institutions of 11 higher education on how to identify and commu-12 nicate with students who are likely to be eligible for 13 the SNAP, including those eligible for a State or 14 federally financed work-study program.

15 "(4) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this sub-16 section:

17 "(A) The term 'eligible student' means a
18 student receiving work-study assistance under
19 this part.

20 "(B) The term 'SNAP' means the supple21 mental nutrition assistance program (as defined
22 in section 3(t) of the Food and Nutrition Act
23 of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2012(t))).".

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